

Well I have been up
to see what I
had got. from home
but he had carried
it all up to camp
so I shall have to wait
till tomorrow when I
get of guard and
then I will go up
to camp and see what
I have got. I know it is
some thing well.
I saw a fellow from the
26th Regt to day he say the
boys from L are all well
he said Delany was with
Regt. he said Oscar
Veroncel was orderly sergeant
in Co. B. and would be ~~promoted~~
promoted to 1st ~~sergent~~ when
he got well enough to be
with the Regt. All
it is getting near good
the time of getting guards so I must
must be good night to you

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Dear Mother

I recd your very
kind letter last Saturday and
was very glad to hear from you
The doctor went through here
one night - last week. if I
had known when he ~~was~~
had been coming I might
have seen him as well.
~~as well~~ as not for he
passed right by the hospital
that I am in

Now think that I must
suffer with the cold and

U.S. & Georgia West-Indies
I have a copy of the "Albany, since then is
damp night. Well it has
not rained ~~about~~ two or three
times since we have been in
Baltimore. it is rather cold
night and warm days
last night was the coldest
night we have had yet.

I was lucky enough not to be
on guard. but have got to be
on to night. We have a good
warm place to sleep in the
Hospital; so that one blanket is
a plenty to keep us warm
I suppose it is a great deal
colder up in camp than it
is down here. I wish Harrison
could come down here with
me. for I think that we
^{will} make this our winter quarter
and we shall have mattresses
to sleep on in a few days
and when it gets cold enough

I wish you would never

to need a fire we shall
have a stove in our
room. The work is not hard
we have only to stand on
guard only 8 hours out of
48 and drill 3. The board
we get here is a great deal
worse than it is up in
camp. We have not had any
thing but bread and coffee
for supper in over a month
for breakfast we ^{have} bacon
bread and coffee and for
dinner we have potatoes
fresh beef and bread. the
dinner is good enough
for me but the rest
you can judge for your
self. We have drawn our
rations from the Regt
and as soon as we can
get a place to cook
then we will have them

fixed to suit our own
taste. that will be in course
of a day or two.

I was up to camp yesterday
our company sold some of
their rations and bought a
bag of ^{corn} meal and made a
good old fashioned pudding
such as you used to make ~~the~~
sunday afternoon ^{for} lunch
the boys from Leonardville
are all well. Harrison got a
letter from Alfred he is at
Fairfax. We will be paid off
the first day of next month
I allotted \$8.00 dollars per month
to be sent home. we shall get
2 months pay. if I get what
is owing me I shall send home
\$35.00 beside the \$18.00 that will
be sent by allotment

Jim Dunn just come in and said
that Sam Bennett had got back
from home and had brought
some things for me from
home so I will ~~wait~~ go up
and see what it is before
I finish this letter. He is in another

city - W. Guard
part - J. D.